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NEW YORK, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1889.

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ALL THE LATEST NEWS

ANDREWS MUST GO

Assemblyman Fish Introduces a Resolution to That Effect.

It Calls for Prompt Action from the Capitol Trustees.

The Ceiling Superintendent Finds No Ardent Supporters in the House.

ALBANY, Feb. 19.-In the Assembly this morning, Mr. Hamilton Fish introduced a resolution, which, after reciting that there had been great mismanagement in the construction of the ceiling, went on as follows: Bruction of the ceiling, went on as follows:

Be it resoived, That the attention of the Trustiers of the Capitol, consisting of the Governor,
the Licutemant-Governor and the Speaker, is
hereby respectfully salled to the report of the
Committee of Experts, and said trustees are requested to suspend the aforesaid Charles B. Andrews as Superintendent of Public Buildings,
pending further investigation and until final
action by this House.

Mr. Sheehan said he was in favor of the resolution. He hoped that Supt. Andrews would be suspended.

He was not sure whether the Capitol Commissioners could remove Mr. Andrews without any further action but if they could he certainly would not oppose a motion calling

upon them to do so.

It was evident that the resolution would cause a debate of some time, and so, under the rules, it went over until to-morrow. the rules, it went over until to-morrow.

There is now no doubt of its passage, if, indeed, by that time the Commissioners have not already removed Mr. Andrews or he has not joined the American colony in Canada.

DE LANCEY NICOLL REFUSES.

HE WILL HAVE NO MORE TO DO WITH THE MARKET-STAND INQUIRY.

Mr. Nicoll this afternoon absolutely refused to continue as counsel in the market investigation. His letter to the Corporation Counsel

to the effect that it is useless to proceed further with the investigation, as the witnesses have been intimidated by the Comp-

troller.
Under the circumstances, he says that he does not feel that he ought to accept a retainer from the city to conduct a fruitless in-

tainer from the city to conduct a fruitless investigation.

If, however, Comptroller Myers will restore Mr. Kilby his permit and promise not to deprive of their stands any stand-holders who may hereafter testify, Mr. Nicoli savs he would gladly accept the city's retainer.

District Attorney Fellows said that he would not bring before the Grand Jury the case of Assistant Clerk of Markets Lewis Schoomsker, who was charged by Stand. Schoolmaker, who was charged by Stand-holder Kilby with receiving a \$500 bribe, until he has consulted with Mr. Nicoll.

It is semi-officially announced at Police Headquarters that Inspector Byrnes is at work on the market frauds, and that detec-lives are on the track of Schoolmaker and others who are suspected or openly charged with bribery.

WILSON S. WOLF IS DEAD

THE CROMWELLIAN BOARD OF ALDERMEN LOSES ITS PRESIDENT.

The Wolf Board of Aldermen, which annually makes solemn—claim—to—be—the veritable—City Fathers of New York, suffers to-day a sudden and

Wilson S. Wolf, the venerable President of the Cromwellian Board and the one who put most energy into the fight in behalf of that body, died last evening of apoplexy at his home 266 West Eleventh street. Mr. Wolf was a lawyer doing a busy practice, and was especially well known of late in the Jef-ferson Market Court.

ferson Market Court.

He was about sixty years of age, tall, gaunt and gray hairod. He was long a strikingly aggressive figure in New York City politics.

O'BRIEN SCORNED A DEFENSE. Seatenced to Six Months Further Imprisos

ment.

INPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD. Dublin, Feb. 19.—The case of William O'Brien, M. P., was called at Tralee to-day. Mr. O'Brien refused to allow his counsel, Mr. Healy, to apologize for the language the htter had used to Col. Turner yesterday. Mr. O'Brien also refused to make any urther defense regarding the charges brought against him under the Crimes act. He was thereupon sentenced to six months'

CHAMPION STANLEY IN LUCK.

he Cycled Herself Into a Gold Medal and

Diamond Earrings. Most of the girls engaged in the recent bicycle ace will leave for their homes to-day, but Miss lottle Stanley will stay until the latter part of

Sha will get a gold medal from Richard K. Fox for her victory and her record-breaking, and she he already received a \$150 pair of diamond earhes already received a \$150 pair of diamond earhigs from Manager Billy O'Brien.

In the coming six-day race at Boston Mr.
O'Eden will back Miss Stanley against all comers
for \$500. The race will be under his management, and there will be no salaries. The girls
will profit according to their merits.

As a result of the trouble with Charlie Troy,
Mr. O'Brien has ordered that the bicycles left at
the Garden be not delivered to the little man-

Cincinnati Has a \$200,000 Blaze.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 19.—The machine shops, and house and car-shops of the Big Four Railand were destroyed by fire between 3 and 4 slock this morning. Loss about \$200,000,

Tenement-House.

This Morning.

Bernard McLoughlin, half drunk and stupid, is locked in a cell at the West Thirty-seventh street police station.

His wife, Mary Ann McLoughlin, lies dead on a cot in a room on the ground floor of a rickety old tenement back of the block 521 West Twenty-eighth street.

Blood was oozing from eyes, ears and mouth, and the face is horribly disfigured by bruises and cuts. The body is also bruised and cut in many

places. Bernard and his wife had a caller yesterday in the person of Mary Martin, a weather-

beaten woman of about their own age-forty

pears woman of about their own age—forty years.

They had beer, and caroused during the afternoon in the two squalid, dirty, smoke-begrimed rooms which the McLoughlius called home.

At 5 o'clock Mrs. Rose Cunningham, who lives on the floor above, heard the trio quarrelling, and then she saw Mrs. McLoughlin thrust out into the hall. The door was locked in her face for a time, and then she was re-

thrust out into the hall. The door was locked in her face for a time, and then she was readmitted to her own rooms.

A little later there was another row, and then all was still till 10 o'clock this morning, when Bernard knocked at Mrs. Cunningham's door to tell her that his wife was dead.

Mrs. Cunningham reported the case at the police station, and Roundsman Beesley was despatched to the scene. He arrested McLonghlin

Loughlin.
McLoughlin was too drunk to be intelligible. He said he thought had five children, all fourteen years old, and that they lived with their aunts.

with their aunts.

Mary Ann, he said, died about 6 o'clock this morning. They had been on a three days spree, but had had no quarrel. He is a longahore coal-heaver.

The police are looking for Mary Martin. She is said to have left the scene of death this morning.

TRAINS COLLIDED END ON.

But There Were No Fatalities in tha Canadian Smash-Up. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]

MONTREAL, Feb. 19 .- A despatch just received from St. Hyacinthe says that the story of a train going through Beloit Bridge

The facts are that at 7 o'clock last night the express train from Point Levis and Quebec. due there at 6.50, and the local train from Montreal collided, end on. The trains were

not going very fast.

L. N. Lussier, a St. Hyacinthe passenger on the local train, was slightly injured, and another party on the express, whose name is not known, was severely injured. He is yet

unconscious.

The two engineers and firemen saw that a collision was inevitable, so they jumped before the locomotives came together and escaped injury. Both engines and tenders were completely demolished, and the baggage car of the Montreal train was pushed in upon itself as if it were an accordion.

The baggage-man was standing at the door of the car when the accident occurred, and was thrown off the train. His escape from death was miraculous.

WHO WROTE THE LETTERS AND ARTICLES? More Than One Believed to Have Had Hand in the Work.

[BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, Feb. 19.—In the Parnell Commis sion to-day Mr. Finch-Hatton was summoned before the Court for contempt.

The cross-examination of Mr. Macdonald nanager of the Times, was continued. Many nconsistencies in his testimony were brought

out, seriously weakening the Times' case.

The witness was asked to give the names of the persons who wrote the articles on "Parnellism and Crime," as many are now said to have had a hand in the work.

He declined to give up the names of contributors to the paper. It was contrary to the policy of the Times to make public the

Judge Hannen said that nevertheless the names must be given. The private policy of a newspaper could not prevail against the law of the land. Houston, who obtained the Parnell letters from Pigott, asserts that two of them came from Mrs. Mullett. They were found among

er husband's papers. ALLEGED EGAN LETTERS, NOW.

Le Caron to Be Eclipsed by Another Sensa tional "Times" Witness.

PEPECIAL CARLE TO THE EVENING WORLD. 1 LONDON, Feb. 19, .- The Times prints to-day ac-similes of several alleged Egan letters which are to come before the Parnell Commission. Vague rumors are affoat that another with will be brought forward in behalf of the Times

whose revelations will eclipse those of Le Caron.

Naturally there is no limit to the sensations
which may be made in the witness-box on this
nubject. CRAZED BY RUDOLPH'S DEATH.

He Becomes a Patricide and Mutilates His Victim With a Hatchet.

IBY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION ! VIENNA, Feb. 19 .- A resident of the village of Villach who had been made insane by the death of Prince Rudolph, killed his father last night, mutilating him in a horrible manner with a hatchet.

Rescued a Baby at a Fire. James Shea, of 20 Chrystie street, rescued twenty months old baby from a fire on the top floor of 83 Elizabeth street at 1.30 this after-noop. He took the child to the Elizabeth street station. It was badly burned and was taken to Bellevue. The fire was soon put out.

Whereas, We are a free and enlightened people, and in duty bound to take the greatest care of the health of the community in general and of ourselves in particular; therefore, be it Resolved. That in all eases where we are afflicted with constipation, inactive or diseased liver, biliousness, derangement of the atomach, jaundice and kidney troubles—we will procure Dr. Pience's Pleasant Pellers and use the same immediately. **

Quaker City.

Flames.

The Victim Found Dead in Her Room | The Loss Will Probably Amount to a Million and May Exceed It.

> INPECIAL TO THE EVENINGWORLD. 1 PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 19.-A tremendous conflagation broke out in the business centre of the city before 10 o'clock this

morning. It is now raging furiously. The flames were first discovered in the wholesale tailors' trimmings establishment of Rudolph Blankenburg, the well-known

political reformer, No. 13 Bank street. The origin of the fire is unknown, but an explosion followed immediately after the discovery of the flames.

The building was a solid six-story structure and extended from Bank to Strawberry street, two small but business thoroughfares between Chestnut and Market and Second and Third streets.

An instant after the explosion, which occurred in the basement, the whole building was a roaring mass of fire, extending to the roof and baffling the firemen in their work. Both streets are built up with large commercial houses, and each is stored with val-uable goods.

About fitteen minutes after the breaking

out of the fire the flames had spread to the opposite side of Strawberry street.

The big linen and white-goods houses of Donald & Co. and of M. J. Kelly had taken

Internation Immediately the firemen turned their attention to this portion of the conflagration.

After a hard fight they got the fire here

The buildings, however, were badly burned and the goods were almost wholly destroyed.

Meanwhile the flames were making ravages

Meanwhile the flames were making ravages on Bank street,

The building, No. 11, occupied by Thompson. Faust & Co., jobbers in notions and knit jackets, and the big structure, No. 15, occupied by Campion & Co., blankets, which adjoins Blankenburg's building, were now burning, while on Strawberry street, No. 20, occupied by James Doak & Co. and Risbrough Brothers, and the eastern end of Thompson, Faust & Co.'s big place, were also on fire.

On Second street the roof of No. 26, occupied by Lewis S., Hall, dry goods, caught, and the building and stock were ruined.

The big instalment house of Philip J. Walsh, adjoining the latter on the south, was also badly damaged, his greatest loss being caused by water. He places his damage alone at \$25,000. The total loss at this time is estimated at a million of dollars.

Mayor Fitler and Director of Public Safety Stokley went to the scene and personally

Stokley went to the scene and personally directed the movements of the firemen and

police.

A narrow escape from death was made by three men who were employed in Blankenburg's. They had become caught in the building while trying to effect their escape.

They managed to get on to the fire-escape from a fith-story window. On reaching there they found that there were no ladders to the platform on which they stood.

Here the terrified men were compelled to remain while the flames and particularly the remain while the flames and particularly the smoke curled around them. One was about to jump when the Hayes ladder went up and the men managed to reach it.

UNCLE SAM INTERFERES.

AND BRINGS THE CONSERVA BACK TO A UNITED STATES PORT.

The Conserva, the steel-plated vessel which was seized last night off Gravesend, L. I., for an alleged violation of the United States neutrality laws, was brought up the bay and landed at the Atlantic dock, Brooklyn, at 11 clock this morning.

The seizure was made on complaint of the Marquis de Chambrun, couusel for the Haytian Government, who charged that the vessel was intended for use against the existing Government of Hayti, and that the libellers had

good reason to believe that she then had arms and ammunition aboard intended for the use of the insurgents. The Conserva formerly known as the The Conserva, formerly known as the Madrid, cleared for Samana Saturday. Minister Preston protested against allowing her to go, but Consul Julia, of the Dominican Government, claimed that the Conserva was going to the defense of his country.

On Sunday morning the Conserva returned to Sandy Hook, and an Evening Wond Preporter learned this morning that she had sprung a leak and that it was all the crew could do to keep her from filling.

After the vessel arrived at the dock this morning acting Capt. Crockett was taken up to United States Marshal Stafford's office, and the hearing was subsequently set down

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and the hearing was subsequently set down for to morrow.

The crew was much excited and declared they were entitled to full pay for the trip. Gen. Courterns and Stephen Charles Pres-ton, both prominently identified with the Legitime faction in Hayti, have been missing since Friday.

since Friday. When young Preston's father, the Haytian When young Preston's father, the Haytian Minister, was asked as to his son's where-abouts this morning he evaded the question, but when cornered he threw up his hands in a dramatic manner as he said: "His country needs him, and my son has gone to fight in ts cause.

DENMARK AMONG THE BROKERS.

The Prize Mule Visits the Menngeric at the Stock Exchange. A very celebrated mule was added to the bulls

and bears in the New York Stock Exchange nenagerie for a few moments this afternoon menagerie for a few moments this afternoon and stocks were temporarily neglected.

The visiting animal was Denmark, won by Mr. T. C. Bucks at the St. Valentine's Market Fair in Fifth avenue.

Measrs. Chase and De Cordova exhibited the speedy qualities of His Muleship to the intense gratification of the other brokers.

Another interesting event of the afternoon was the presentation of the silver gavel voted to the Exchange at the fair.

Bubear Defeats Norvell.

INVECTAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. | LONDON, Feb. 19.-In a four-mile boat race on the Tyne yesterday Bubear beat Norvell by length. The time was slow. The race r 250 a side. Bubear allowed Norvell a ten seconds.

Brutal Murder of a Woman in a A Big Fire in Progress in the Tina Weiss Back in the Arms of More Bodies Taken from the Hotel's The Terrific Whirlwind in Georgia Her Joyful Mother.

Home Again After a Separation of Nearly a Year and a Half.

Here Is a Confession of the Unjustness of the Children's Law.

And a Powerful Plea for the Amendment Offered by 'The Evening World."

THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT.

[Brawn by a scell-known Supreme Court Judge.] [Irrain by a self-known Supreme Court Judge.]

All proceedings under this section (See 201, Chap-676, Lawe of 1881, and Chap-46, Lawe of 1884), when a commitment shall have been made, shall be subject to review by any court of record, upon certiorari on the recise and the law, and in such a proceeding the commitment order or judgment, may be affirmed or reversed or modified in such manner and to such extent as may seem best, or a rehearing of the charge ordered.

Tina Weiss has been returned. Once more the long-separated mother and

child are united. Mamma Weiss is happy. Papa Weiss is iovous. Six-year-old little Sara Weiss is running over with joy, and Tina is full of gladness at returning to her mother and sister.

THE EVENING WORLD is happy and feels like making a modest hurrah! for this last victory of its arms in behalf of human rights, and in defense of the little ones and their parents against a bad law. A messenger carried the news to Mr. and

Mrs. Weiss in their Broome street house yesterday afternoon that Tina was in town and an Evening World representative visited the offices of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children at Fourth avenue and Twenty-third street. The doors leading to the sanctum-sanc-

torum of Mr. Jinkens were tightly closed, and the naturally affable and pleasant young man at the deak in the outer room was forced ter, which was received at the Times office to play a rôle not his by nature. He told the

to play a rôle not his by nature. He told the reporter that he was not allowed to inform him nor the Weissee as to Miss Tina.

Then Mrs. Weiss, whose face wore an expression of doubting, anxious hope, was led into the rear room. Five minutes later her husband was also led into that hall of mystery, and after another five minutes Mr. Jinkens sent out word by the gentle masquerader before mentioned that "Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Weiss were in the building; that as both were grown up they could probably find their way home without any further assistance from outsiders" (outsiders, of course, referring to the reporter).

Mr. Jinkens also vouchsafed that The Evening World would any just what it liked about him, any way, and the reporter firmly corroborated him and sustained his judgment.

But the work was done, and the reporter

went away happy.
Tina Weiss was, ten minutes later, clasped in the arms of her mother. Tears were shed on both sides, and little Sara's round, chubby face was the picture of joyous ecstasy.

She had not seen her sister in two and a half years, but she hugged her and ki sed her and gazed at her with her great, lustrous eyes with an expression of unbounded admiration and exquisite affection.

This occurred at the Home for the Friend.

less 32 East Thirtieth street, where little Tina had been since Friday last. A moment later Bernard Weiss, the tall, swarthy father of the little one, was led into

swarthy father of the little one, was led into the room, and the scene which followed beggars description.

Falling on one knee, the strong man clasped the little one in his arms, and tears ran down his dark cheeks. He cried like a child, and the appearance of Tina herself was a com plete refutation of the story of Mr. Gerry's agents that she did not want to return to her varents.

parents.

And presently the little family, once more united, left the Home and went to their own tidy rooms in Broome street, where the reporter found them in the thick of a recepporter found them in the thick of a reception gotten up by the ladies of the neighborhood—women who in their helplessness against the powerful society which had spirited away the child had extended their deepest sympathy to the sorrowing mother and agonized father. And there was Mrs. Kopelowich, the little lady who had devoted herself so nobly to the family in their efforts to find their child.

The came forward and shook hands with the reporter. She is as bright as a button.

Tina came forward and shook hands with the reporter. She is as bright as a button, open-faced and honest. She was dressed in a simple gown of black and was tidy and neat. She speaks English without accent, but when the reporter asked: "Are you glad to get back to papa and mamma and little sister?" the fond, smiling gaze which she cast first upon her mamma and then on papa and little Sara needed not words to tell the happiness which she was feeling.

"Yes, sir," she said. "They did not tell me that my mother was here. They never told me that."

"And is Sara glad?" asked the scribe of the sir-year-old.

"And is Sera glad?" asked the scribe of the six-year-old.

The little one placed her red-brown, bushy hair against Tina's breast and only smiled with contentment.

Mrs. Weiss, who understands no English, looked on the while with a joyous face and her husband's form straightened visibly as he

her husband's form straightened visibly as he gazed on the group.

"Did you have a good home? Where was it? Were they kind to you? Did they make you work hard?" queried the reporter rapidly, and the father said: "Now speak the truth, Tina."

"Oh, yes, sir," said Tina, brightly. "They were good to me, but they were not my mother and father. I was at Fultonville, near Fonda, with Mr. and Mrs. Van Epps. I only washed dishes and such little things.
"I was to stay with them till lwas eighteen years old, and then I was to have \$100."

All honor to good Farmer Van Epps, who seems to have loved the lovable little thing and to have been kind to her, but who readily gave her up when he learned that a yearning, loving mother and father wanted their child again. By the law, which THE EVENING WORLD is

now seeking to have amended he might have retained his grasp on the child. All men are not like Farmer Van Epps, All men are not like Farmer van Eppe, and the law is a bad one.

Little Tina paid a visit to The Evening World office this morning in company with Mrs. Kopelewich, who worked so hard for her restoration. She was neatly card and wore a comfortable imitation cloak, which had been provided for her by Mrs. Van

Epps.

She said she was going to begin at school next Monday, and expressed her satisfaction at getting home once more.

BEATEN TO DEATH. PHILADELPHIA'S BLAZE. RESTORED! HARTFORD'S HORROR. DEATH IN THE CYCLONE

Ruins To-Day.

Her Drunken Husband Locked Up by the Some Very Narrow Escapes from the "THE EVENING WORLD" PROMISED IT. Three Hundred Rescuers Still at Work Persons Blown Through the Housetops and on the Debris.

> Mr. Pendleton, Reported Among the Missing, Turns Up Alive in New Haven,

The Hotel Engineer and His Assistant Held in \$10,000 Ball for Manslaughter.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] HARTFORD, Feb. 19. -The horror caused by the destruction of the Park Central Hotel and the accompanying loss of life has by no means subsided.

Around the heap of smoking ruins there are still great crowds of men, women and boys, among whom are many whose friends or relatives are missing or supposed to be

buried in the debris, The Fire Department has been tireless in its exertions, and aided by gangs of laborers from the Street-Cleaning Department, has taken away load after load of the fallen bricks and mortar, to facilitate the work of rescue. The 300 workmen quit their labors at 2

o'clock this morning, but at 7 o'clock were again at their noble work. From 9 o'clock last night to 2 this morning four bodies were recovered, Max Galody and wife and A. F. Whiting and wife.

This makes eighteen bodies recovered. Mr. and Mrs. Whiting were horribly burned and were only identified after a long time. Mrs. Whiting's head had been severed but a portion of her long, black hair made the identification complete.

Pendleton was in the hotel Sunday afternoon, and was probably in the ruins. In the afternoon a message from New Haven stated that Pendleton was in that city, and this is corroborated by the following let-

to-day :

The head waiter reported yesterday that

New Haven, Feb. 18.—The papers of this morning record me as among the missing victims of the heartrending disaster that fell so suddenly upon your fair city this morning. Pending the adjournment of your Legislature I thought I would utilize this day here among the friends of the late Vice-President, Thomas A. Hendricks, and came down last evening.

of Your Large among the friends of saw. In this day here among the friends of saw. The President, Thomas A. Hendricks, and came President, Thomas A. Hendricks, and came down last eventing.

I am safe, thank God! I hold a small piece of brass, No. 7, representing my baggage which I left in the hotel, and shall carry it as a secred memente to remind me of my close proximity to death's door.

I have endured shipwreck, famine and the horrors of war with the fortitude that characterizes the best elements of manhood, but I am I free to confess that I am off my base lo-day.

Please correct in your paper the impression that I am among the unfound victims. Respectfully yours.

R. C. PENDLETON.

Indianapolis, Ind.

At noon two additional bodies were taken from the Park Central Hotel, both badly burned. One was positively identified as Dr. Lavaletti Perrin and the other is believed to be Mrs. Perrin.

Two other bodies were then in sight and being taken out. Alex Thuer, the engineer who was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with manslaughter, was in Police Court this morning.

At the time of opening Court this morning.
At the time of opening Court Amos Risley,
the assistant engineer, had not been found.
He was the man who was in charge of the
boiler at the time of banking the fire at midnight Sunday night.
Soon after opening court Risley was
brought in and the two men were put to plea
on the charge of manslaughter.
They pleaded not guilty and their cases
were adjourned for one week under bonds of
\$\frac{10}{2}\$10,000 each, which have not been obtained.
Both men appeared unconcerned, and as-Both men appeared unconcerned, and assert they are in no way responsible for the norror. Thuer was arrested five months ago

sert they are in no way responsible for the horror. Thuer was arrested five months ago for attempting to shoot a man.

This happened during a drunken quarrel in the hotel. The case is now before the Superior Court. Thuer's wife died four and a half menths ago, and since that time he swears he has not touched fiquor.

The body of George M. Root, drummer for a Boston house, was this morning taken to his home in Brockport, N. Y., accompanied by his son, who arrived just before the finding of the mangled remains yesterday after-

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The body of J. M. Haussman, of Brooklyn, left on the noon train, accompanied by relatives who arrived last night.

The military remained on duty during the night, and are guarding the district surrounding the ruins.

This is the first time the First Regiment was called out by signal of eleven blows twice on the fire bell. The signal was adopted six years ago.

six years ago.

The injured at the hospital are all doing The injured at the hospital are all doing well to-day.

It was feared that Mrs. Ketcham's thigh was broken, but this is found to be incor

KELLY WITH THE PHILLIE COMBINE,

He Is Going to Show Boston People Some Great Ball Next Season.

INFECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I Boston, Feb. 19.-Mike Kelly has decided to He Wants to Play Two Games with Any oin the Philadelphia combination that will leave New York the 1st of March for Jacksonville,

last Saturday and expressed a desire to go South and get in condition for next season's work.

"No one in the business will work harder than I to get into condition when I start in, said Kelly, "and I am in dead carnest to show my triends down Boston way good ball-playing from the start next year."

RUSSIA AS WELL AS CHINA. People Dying from Starvation in the Gov-

ernment of Orenburg. SEPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD, I PETERSBURG, Feb. 19, -A famine is prevailing in a portion of the interior of Russia. Many persons have died from starvation in the Government of Orenburg.

The "Mail and Express's " New Home. At the sale of the Jones estate to-day Col. Elliot F. Shepard purchased the building at No. 203 Broadway, and the adjoining buildings, Nos. 164, 166 and 168 Fulton street. The price paid was \$362,000. This will be the future home of the Matt and Express.

Destroyed Both Life and Property.

The Total Number of Killed and Injured

Has not Yet Been Ascertained.

Into Trees, and Houses Torn Asunder.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 19. - The cyclone in Banks County last night did some terrible work. It is now learned that the house of Thomas Stevenson was blown to pieces and the whole family lifted into the air.

Stevenson and one of his sons were blown into a tree and killed. The remainder of the family were seri-

ously, if not fatally, injured. William Meadows's house near by was torn into fragments and he and his wife killed. Twelve other persons were kuled by falling

timbers. The storm passed on to Nicholson. where a dozen houses were torn from their foundations and scattered in all directions. It cannot be fully ascertained at this mo-ment how many lives have been lost in the great storm. It is quite probable, though, that the num-

to quite probable, though, that the number will exceed twenty.

Colera, Ala., Feb. 19.—A cyclone passed over Chilton County, five miles south of here, yesterday morning. Much damage was done to property and two persons are reported fatally injured.

Mount Vernon on Friday night, is just as perplexing as ever.

An Evening World reporter went to West

Farms this morning to see Miss Lizzie Mapes and to learn whether or not she is positive as to the identity of the burglar. She cannot be shaken a particle, and still asserts that Pascal T. Barquet is the man she saw in her Pascal T. Barquet is the man she saw in her bedroom that night.

Miss Mapes is only fifteen years old. She has a fresh, bright complexion and brilliant black eyes. Her hair is jet black. In a very modest but straightforward way she told the reporter what she witnessed that night, as follows:

"We retired," she said, "about 11 o'clock. The gas in the hall was burning brightly for

"We retired," she said, "about 11 o'clock. The gas in the hall was burning brightly, for both grandmother and Mrs. Ther's baby had been airing and might have to be helped during the night.
"I was awakened by hearing a noise in my room. I looked up, and standing in the doorway leading to my room were two men. My first impulse was to scream out, but i controlled myself.

"As I watched, the taller of the two (Barquet) stepped into the room. He passed his quet) stepped into the room. He passed his hands over the cushion on the bureau and took the jewelry from it, which he put in his pocket. Then he opened two plush boxes, but they contained nothing but letters. Then he took the bureau drawers from their places, and, stepping out into the hall, he and his companion examined the

"The light shone full on their faces. The taller of the two wore his black derby hat on the back of his head so I had a full view. The short man had his hat drawn down closely over his eyes, shading his face.

The tall man came back into my room, and, gazing around to my grandmother's side of the bed, knelt down and felt all around the floor. I don't know what he was looking for. Then he arose, gazed for a min-

looking for. Then he arose, gazed for a minute at my grandmother's face and went out.

"Then I heard the short man say: 'Where
is Tier's room?' He went towards it, and, as
you know, awakened Mr. Tier, who chased
then out with his pistol.

"The taller of the two wore an overcoat,
with a large collar. I don't remember the
color, but it was a rough cost."

"And you recognized the taller man in
Mr. Barquet"

"Yes. I am positive that he is the man."

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"Couldn't you be mistaken?"
"No. He is the man I saw in my bed-Miss Mapes then told how she recognized

Mr. Barquet in his store. She further says that during the examination in the Police Court Barquet never once raised his eyes to look at her.
The burglary, it is admitted, was committed The burgiary, it is admitted, was committed by novices, and by some one well acquainted with Mount Vernon. It was probably the same party that robbed Mr. Max Huss on Sept. 12 and took \$600 worth of property, and also robbed Mr. McCarten's house, on Ches-

ter Hill, and the Episcopal Church last week GOOD-BY, POLO GROUNDS.

Alderman David Barry presented a resolution at to-day's meeting of the Board of Aldermen directing the regulating and grading of One Hundred and Eleventh street from

Fifth to Lenor avenue.

This means that the Polo Grounds are doomed, for this is the portion of the street which is included within Jim Mutrie's old tight board fence.

The resolution was gent to the Committee on Public Works.

SLOSSON'S CHALLENGE.

Billiard Expert.

George Slosson, the billiardist, addressed to Editor Buck, of the Spirit of the Times, this morning a challenge to any billiard expert in the morning a challenge to any billiard expert in the world to play him two match games of billiards in some public hall in New York City for \$1,000 a side each match, the first match to be at the fourteen-inch balk-line game, 600 points up, in accordance with the roles governing that style of game; the second match to be at cushion caroms, 500 points up, and to be played under the rules governing that style of game.

The first match to be played forty days and the second one sixty days from the date of acceptance of this challenge.

A check for \$1,000 accompanied the challenge.

Spider Weir Backs Down.

Bosros, Feb. 19,-The glove contest between Frank Murphy and Ike Weir, the Belfast Spider, is off, according to the latter's statement. The Spider is the one that does not propose to keep his agreement, and the only reason he gives for not doing so is that the Crib that is giving the \$1,000 purse will not give him some money in advance.

ALL THE LATEST NEWS

GUTTENBURG'S DAY.

The Track Was in Fair Condition and the Crowd Large.

Vaulter, a 30 to 1 Shot, Was the Surprise of the Day.

St. Elmo and Ben Thompson Were

Favorites and Came in Winners. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] NORTH HUBSON DRIVING PARK, Feb. 19 .-The meeting was continued as usual at Gutten-burg to-day. The crowd was a large one, and

the track in fairly good condition, the high wind having dried it out. For the first race Micawber was voted a good thing, and the talent backed him off the boards. He was not placed, however, and Vaulter, a 30 to 1 shot, was the surprise and winner.

St. Elmo and Bloss were made equal favorites

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The mystery surrounding the burglary at the residence of Mr. Charles A. Tier, at of a mile.

SI. Elmo and Bloss were made equal favorites for the second race; the latter was unplaced but the former won, which was some consolation to the backers.

The third race was a good betting one with Ben Thompson a slight favorite, and he won a good race; seven-eighths of a mile.

Vaulter, 125 (Mills) 1
Pat Oakley, 115 (Doane) 2
Pet-raburg, 126 (M. J. Lynch) 3
Time-1,39,
Flush, Micawber, Lagardere and Glen Al-

THIRD BACE. Purse \$250; all ages; six furlongs,
Ben Thompson, 110 (Penny)
Can't Tell, 107 (Murray)
Lafitte, 113 (Kelly)
Time-1, 30½. Monte Cristo, Carlow and Wilfred Jay also

an eighth.

Bonanza won, with Harrodsburg second and Amos third. Time—2,07.

Mutuels ould: Straight, \$4.10; for a place, \$3.10. Harrodsburg paid \$4.

THE PRESIDENT TO THE TARIFF REFORM LEAGUE AT CHICAGO.

ence, which was requested.

It is entirely in his own handwriting. An omission was made in one portion, which was filled in by Secretary White.

guard the people against deception.

My extreme interest in the work which your
League has undertaken and in the expressed objects of the proposed Convention would lead me
to accept your invitation if it were possible to

do so.

But my public duties here positively prevent such acceptance. Hoping that the Convention will be very successful, and with an earnest wish for the prosperity and success of your League in its efforts to enlighten and benefit the people, I am, yours very truly, GROVER CLEVELAND.

mond also ran. The Bace.—Pat Oakley led to the stretch, when Validace.—Pat Oakley led to the stretch, when ranifer came through and won by three lengths from Pat Oakley, who was the same distance in front of Petersburg.

Betting—30 to 1 sgainst Vaulter to win, 7 to 1 for a place and 4 to 1 Pat Oakley for a place. Mutuels paid: Straight, \$24.05; for a place, \$1,45. Pat Oakley paid \$15.80. Vaulter sold in the field. SECOND BACE. Purse \$200; selling allowances; seven-eighths

monte Cristo, Carlov and white a system.

The Race.—Ben Thompson made all the running and won by a head from Can't Tell, who was half a length in front of Lafitte.

Betting—2 to 1 against Ben Thompson to win, 5 to 4 on for a place and 8 to 5 against Can't Tell for a place. Mutuels paid: Straight, \$6, 40; for a place, \$3.55. Can't Tell paid \$5.95.

Purse \$200; selling allowances; one mile and

CLEVELAND'S TARIFF LETTER

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. CHICAGO, Feb. 19. - President Cleveland sent a letter to the National Reform League, which is in convention here to-day, in lieu of his pres-

illed in by Secretary White.

Executive Massion.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24, 1889.

John Z. White, my, Nerving, de.

Dean Nin: I have received the invitation of the Tariff Reform League to be present at the Convention of tariff reformers to be held in the City of Chicago on the 19th. 20th and 21st of February, 1889.

I have also read the circular of the League accompanying this invitation, in which the objects and purposes of the proposed Convention are specifically set forth.

The scheme of practical and efficient work therein described meets with my hearty approval and promises, if honestly adhered to, the most valuable aid in the furtherance of a cause which is very near to the interests and welfare of our people.

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The danger which we have to guard against is the misicaling of our countrymen by specious theories cunningly contrived, and fallely offering to the people relief from present burdens and the legitimate expense [necessary to secure the benefits of beneficent rule under the sanction of free institutions.

The declared purposes of your League will not be attained until all those interested in the economic question which is now pressed upon their attention are freed from all sophistries and clouding fallacies, and until the subject of tariff reform is presented to them as a topic involving the relief of the plain people of the land in their homes from uscless and unjust expense.

The question is a simple and plain one and needs but to be fairly presented to be understood. stood.
It is the positive duty of your organization to

It is reported that Stanley has been seen at Wijijf ax-amining a map and smoking Corson., all tobacco, long Havana filled, no paper cigarettes.